## **SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1039**

## By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate the Collinwood 9-10 softball team upon winning the 2019 State Championship.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly are pleased to specially honor and commend those successful young athletes who, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable group is the Collinwood 9-10 softball team; through their dedication to the pursuit of athletic excellence, their talents on the field of play, and their unwavering support of one another as teammates, these athletes found victory at the highest levels of competition; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Collinwood 9-10 softball team took home the ultimate prize as they won the Tennessee State Championship to cap an extraordinary 2019 season; and

WHEREAS, this outstanding group of young ladies enjoyed the efforts of a tremendous coaching staff, namely Nycole Wright, Chelsea Fredritz, and Somer Stone; and

WHEREAS, the members of the State Champion Collinwood 9-10 softball team are Zaylee Allen, Abby Fredritz, Claire Scott, Sophia Keeton, Mylee Wright, Zayla Hanson, Sarah Creecy, Brinlee Gaston, Presley Stone, Emily Reed, Keri Rumbaugh, and Addyson Sandusky; and

WHEREAS, displaying great sportsmanship and outstanding character, both individually and collectively, the members of the Collinwood 9-10 softball team and their coaches conducted themselves in a manner appropriate to the integrity of the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the Collinwood 9-10 softball team members displayed uncommon talent, determination, and perseverance in their quest for athletic excellence, and it is wholly fitting that they be recognized for this remarkable achievement; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and congratulate the players and coaches of the Collinwood 9-10 softball team on their capture of the 2019 State Championship, applauding their dedication to excellence, both on the field and off, and extending our best wishes for their continued success in all future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.